This application is a divisional of U.S. Application No. 08/766,939, filed December 16, 1996, now U.S. Patent No. 5,994,619, which in turn is a continuation-in-part of U.S. Application No. 08/626,054, filed April 1, 1996, now U.S. Patent No. 5,905,042.

Please replace all of the lines of the Brief Description of the Figures on page 14, from line 14 to the bottom of the page, with the amended text shown below:

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE FIGURES

FIG. 1 is a photograph of cultured CICM cells grown without feeder layer contact. Embryoid bodies may be observed.

FIG. 2 is a photograph of cytokeratin positive cultured CICM cells.

FIG. 3 is a photograph of CICM cells on a fibroblast feeder layer. Multiple layer colonies are visible after only 2 days of culturing.

FIG. 4 is a photograph showing AP positive and cytokeratin negative CICM cell colonies.

FIG. 5 is a second photograph showing AP positive and cytokeratin negative CICM cell colonies.

FIG. 6 is a photograph showing epithelial-like cells which are obtained during culturing of CICM cells. Those cells are AP negative and cytokeratin positive.

FIG. 7 is a second photograph showing epithelial-like, AP negative and cytokeratin positive cells which are obtained during culturing of CICM cells.

FIG. 8 is a photograph of CICM cell colonies. This photo shows that multilayer colonies are beginning to flatten into epithelial-like cell sheets. The cells in the middle of the colony are AP negative and exhibit a flattened epithelial-like appearance. By contrast, cells in the perimeter are smaller, exhibit a multilayered morphology and possess cytoplasmic vesicles.